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FINANCING OF THE UNITED NATIONS PEACE-KEEPING FORCES IN THE
MIDDLE EAST: UNITED NATIONS DISENGAGEMENT OBSERVER FORCE

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Mahbub KABIR (Bangladesh)

I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its forty-eighth session the item entitled:

"Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping forces in the Middle East:

"(a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force"

and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. At its 44th and 46th meetings, on 19 and 22 December 1993, the Fifth Committee considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (A/C.5/48/40) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/48/769). Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/48/SR.44 and 46).

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT DECISION A/C.5/48/L.15

3. At the 46th meeting, on 22 December, the representative of Japan introduced a draft decision entitled "Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force" (A/C.5/48/L.15).

4. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/48/L.15 without a vote (see para. 5).

III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Financing of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

The General Assembly, in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 1/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 2/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Decides, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 10,720,000 United States dollars gross (10,396,000 dollars net) for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 December 1993 to 31 March 1994;

(b) Decides also that no assessment on Member States will be necessary in the light of the current cash balance in the special account for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force.

1/ A/C.5/48/40.

2/ A/48/769 and A/48/778.



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FINANCING OF THE UNITED NATIONS PEACE-KEEPING FORCES IN THE
MIDDLE EAST: UNITED NATIONS INTERIM FORCE IN LEBANON

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Mahbub KABIR (Bangladesh)

I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its forty-eighth session, and to allocate to the Fifth Committee, the item entitled "Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping forces in the Middle East: (a) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon".

2. At its 44th and 46th meetings, on 19 and 22 December 1993, the Fifth Committee considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (A/C.5/48/40) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/48/770).

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT DECISION A/C.5/48/L.16

3. At its 46th meeting on 22 December 1993, the representative of Japan introduced and orally revised draft decision A/C.5/48/L.16 as follows:

(a) In paragraph (b), the words "to apportion the amount indicated in paragraph (a) above" were replaced with the words "to apportion at this time the amount of 22,876,000 dollars gross (22,400,000 dollars net)";

(b) In paragraph (c), the words "500,000 dollars" were replaced with the words "476,600 dollars".

4. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted the draft decision as orally revised without a vote (see para. 6).

5. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of this item are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/48/SR.44 and 46).

III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

6. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Financing of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

The General Assembly,

In accordance with the framework set out in General Assembly resolution 48/___ of ___ December 1993,*

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 1/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions 2/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,

(a) Decides, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 24,000,000 United States dollars gross (23,500,000 dollars net) for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon for the period from 1 February to 31 March 1994, should the Security Council decide to extend the Force beyond 31 January 1994;

(b) Decides further, as an ad hoc arrangement, to apportion at this time the amount of 22,876,000 dollars gross (22,400,000 dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/___ of ___ December 1993,** and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in General Assembly resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991, and General Assembly decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/___ of ___ December 1993;***

* Resolution to be adopted on agenda item 138.

** Resolution to be adopted on agenda item 127.

*** Decision to be taken on agenda item 138 (placement of Member States).

1/ A/C.5/48/40.

2/ A/48/770 and A/48/778.

(c) Decides also that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the additional estimated staff assessment income of 476,600 dollars for the period from 1 February to 31 March 1994.



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FINANCING OF THE UNITED NATIONS ANGOLA VERIFICATION MISSION

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Mahbub KABIR (Bangladesh)

I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its forty-eighth session the item entitled "Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. At its 44th and 46th meetings, on 19 and 22 December 1993, the Fifth Committee considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (A/C.5/48/40) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/48/771). Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/48/SR.44 and 46).

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT DECISION A/C.5/48/L.17

3. At the 46th meeting, on 22 December, the representative of Japan introduced a draft decision entitled "Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (A/C.5/48/L.17)".

4. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/48/L.17 without a vote (see para. 5).

III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission

The General Assembly, in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 1/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 2/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Decides, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 6,800,000 United States dollars gross (6,400,000 dollars net) for the United Nations Angola Verification Mission for the period from 16 December 1993 to 31 March 1994;

(b) Decides also, as an ad hoc arrangement, to apportion at this time the amount of 6,478,800 dollars gross (6,097,700 dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in Assembly resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/___ of 23 December 1993;*

(c) Decides further that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 381,100 dollars for the period from 16 December 1993 to 31 March 1994.

* See A/48/807/Add.1, para. 7.

1/ A/C.5/48/40.

2/ A/48/771 and A/48/778.



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FINANCING OF THE ACTIVITIES ARISING FROM SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 687 (1991): UNITED NATIONS IRAQ-KUWAIT OBSERVATION MISSION

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Mahbub KABIR (Bangladesh)

I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its forty-eighth session the item entitled:

"Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution
687 (1991):

"(a) United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission"

and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. At its 44th and 46th meetings, on 19 and 22 December 1993, the Fifth Committee considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission (A/C.5/48/40) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/48/772). Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/48/SR.44 and 46).

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT DECISION A/C.5/48/L.18

3. At the 46th meeting, on 22 December, the representative of Japan introduced a draft decision entitled "Financing of the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission" (A/C.5/48/L.18).

4. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/48/L.18 without a vote (see para. 5).

III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Financing of the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission

The General Assembly, in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 1/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 2/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Decides, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 8,687,800 United States dollars gross (8 million dollars net), in addition to the pledged voluntary contributions of 23,414,800 dollars for the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission for the period from 1 November 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(b) Decides also that the amount of 8,687,800 dollars gross (8 million dollars net) referred to in paragraph (a) above shall be offset against the unencumbered balance of appropriations;

(c) Decides further that, in view of the expiration of the commitment authority on 28 February 1994, priority should be given to the cost estimate of this operation in the consideration by the General Assembly of peace-keeping budgets.

1/ A/C.5/48/40.

2/ A/48/772 and A/48/778.



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FINANCING OF THE UNITED NATIONS MISSION
FOR THE REFERENDUM IN WESTERN SAHARA

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Mahbub KABIR (Bangladesh)

I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its forty-eighth session the item entitled "Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. At its 44th and 46th meetings, on 19 and 22 December 1993, the Fifth Committee considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (A/C.5/48/40) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/48/773). Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/48/SR.44 and 46).

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT DECISION A/C.5/48/L.19

3. At its 46th meeting, on 22 December, the representative of Japan introduced a draft decision entitled "Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum on Western Sahara" (A/C.5/48/L.19).

4. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/48/L.19 without a vote (see para. 5).

III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Financing of the United Nations Mission
for the Referendum in Western Sahara

The General Assembly, in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 1/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 2/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee, decides, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 9,586,500 United States dollars gross (9,064,500 dollars net) from the unencumbered balance of the appropriation for the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara for the period from 1 January to 31 March 1994.

1/ A/C.5/48/40.

2/ A/48/773 and A/48/778.



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FINANCING OF THE UNITED NATIONS OBSERVER MISSION IN EL SALVADOR

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Mahbub KABIR (Bangladesh)

I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its forty-eighth session the item entitled "Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. At its 44th and 46th meetings, on 19 and 22 December 1993, the Fifth Committee considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador (A/C.5/48/40) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/48/774). Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of this item are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/48/SR.44 and 46).

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT DECISION A/C.5/48/L.20

3. At the 46th meeting, on 22 December, the representative of Japan introduced a draft decision entitled "Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador" (A/C.5/48/L.20).

4. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/48/L.20 without a vote (see para. 5).

III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador

The General Assembly, in accordance with the framework set out in General Assembly resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations ^{1/} and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, ^{2/} and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Decides, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 8,823,500 United States dollars gross (8 million dollars net) for the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador for the period from 1 December 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(b) Decides also, as an ad hoc arrangement, to apportion at this time the amount of 5,382,300 dollars gross (4,880,000 dollars net) among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in Assembly resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/___ of 23 December 1993;*

(c) Decides further that, in accordance with the provisions of its resolution 973 (X) of 15 December 1955, there shall be set off against the apportionment among Member States, as provided for in paragraph (b) above, their respective share in the Tax Equalization Fund of the estimated staff assessment income of 502,300 dollars for the period from 1 December 1993 to 28 February 1994;

(d) Decides that, in view of the expiration of the commitment authority on 28 February 1994, priority should be given to the cost estimate of this operation in the consideration by the General Assembly of peace-keeping budgets.

* See A/48/807/Add.1, para. 7.

^{1/} A/C.5/48/40.

^{2/} A/48/774 and A/48/778.



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FINANCING OF THE UNITED NATIONS TRANSITIONAL AUTHORITY IN CAMBODIA

Report of the Fifth Committee

Rapporteur: Mr. Mahbub KABIR (Bangladesh)

I. INTRODUCTION

1. At its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its forty-eighth session the item entitled "Financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

2. At its 44th and 46th meetings, on 19 and 22 December 1993, the Fifth Committee considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia (A/C.5/48/40) and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/48/775). Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary records (A/C.5/48/SR.44 and 46).

II. CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT DECISION A/C.5/48/L.21

3. At the 46th meeting, on 22 December, the representative of Japan introduced a draft decision entitled "Financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia" (A/C.5/48/L.21).

4. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/48/L.21 without a vote (see para. 5).

III. RECOMMENDATION OF THE FIFTH COMMITTEE

5. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia

The General Assembly, in accordance with the framework set out in its resolution 48/227 of 23 December 1993, having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of seventeen peace-keeping operations 1/ and the related reports of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions, 2/ and concurring with the observations of the Advisory Committee:

(a) Decides, on an exceptional basis, to authorize the Secretary-General to enter into commitments up to the amount of 100,000,000 United States dollars gross and net for the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia for the period from 1 September 1993 to 31 March 1994;

(b) Decides also, as an ad hoc arrangement, to apportion the amount indicated in paragraph (a) above among Member States in accordance with the composition of groups set out in paragraphs 3 and 4 of General Assembly resolution 43/232 of 1 March 1989, as adjusted by the Assembly in its resolutions 44/192 B of 21 December 1989, 45/269 of 27 August 1991, 46/198 A of 20 December 1991, 47/218 A of 23 December 1992 and 48/223 A of 23 December 1993, and taking into account the scale of assessments for the years 1992, 1993 and 1994 as set out in Assembly resolution 46/221 A of 20 December 1991 and decisions 47/456 of 23 December 1992 and 48/___ of 23 December 1993.*

* See A/48/807/Add.1, para. 7.

1/ A/C.5/48/40.

2/ A/48/775 and A/48/778.